

John R. Kasich, Governor Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor Scott I. Nally, Director

June 12, 2013

Re: Ohio EPA Permit No. 0IL00159*AD

Facility Name: Century Mine - Bennoc Refuse Disposal

Area

American Energy Corporation/Century Mine 43521 Mayhugh Road Beallsville, OH 43716

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the Public Notice referenced above regarding a draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit 0IL00159*AD issued to American Energy Corporation/Century Mine located at43521 Mayhugh Road, Beallsville, Ohio. This notice is being provided to persons on the Ohio EPA Belmont County Mailing list, and certain public officials and the regulated entity. The purpose of this notice is to provide a 30-day extension of the comment period of notice OEPA-12-10-048. Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the draft permit. Comments should be submitted in person or by mail to:

> Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Permits Section Lazarus Government Center. 50 W. Towne Street, Suite 700, PO Box 1049 Columbus, OH 43216-1049

Sincerely,

Ed Swindall, Supervisor Permit Processing Unit

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Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure

CERTIFIED MAIL

Belmont County

PUBLIC NOTICE EXTENSION OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency has extended the public comment period on a draft NPDES permit 0IL00159*AD, issued to American Energy Corporation/Century Mine, 43521 Mayhugh Road, Beallsville, OH 43716.

The public comment period for public notice OEPA-12-10-048 issued October 30, 2012 is hereby extended 30 days, and will expire July 12, 2013.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the discharge permit. Comments should be submitted in person or by mail to:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
Permits Section
P. O. Box 1049
122 South Front Street
Columbus, OH 43216-1049

The OEPA permit number 0IL00159*AD and public notice number (OEPA-12-10-048) should appear next to the above address on the envelope and on each page of any submitted comments. All comments received by the close of business, July 12, 2013 will be considered for the final permit. Except for the date by which public comment must be received, all other provisions of the prior notice remain applicable.